

## BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

DATE March 5, 1990FULL NAME HARRY L. JOHNSON, SR. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER ?  
(No initials if you can possibly get full name)ADDRESS [REDACTED]CITY DECATUR STATE IL ZIP CODE 62521DATE OF BIRTH ? 1/35 (This is important and should be exact)APPROXIMATE AGE 54 (To be used ONLY when date of birth is not known)RELIGION ? NATIONALITY American/EnglishOCCUPATION ?EDUCATION ?WEIGHT 185 HEIGHT 5'11" RACE WHITECOLOR OF HAIR GREY COLOR OF EYES ?OUTSTANDING CHARACTERISTICS OR INTERESTS BEARDMARRIED OR SINGLE Married CHILDREN 2 - 1 year - 9 years  
(Number, ages, and names, if possible)NAME OF SPOUSE ?

## SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

UNIT #	CITY	STATE	POSITION	DATE REGISTERED	DATE RESIGNED
TROOP 5	DECATUR	IL	UNIT COMMITTEE		9/6/89
ID # 009750					
SPECIAL RECOGNITION					

SUSPENDED OR DENIED REGISTRATION FOR FOLLOWING REASONS:

SEXUAL ADVANCES TOWARD 13 YEAR OLD BOY.

SPECIFY THE FACTS WHICH LEAD YOU TO RECOMMEND DENIAL OF REGISTRATION AND LIST ATTACHED SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS (STATE ONLY KNOWN FACTS, NOT RUMOR, CONJECTURE OR SPECULATION):

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F. STARON

RS-509

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NOTED

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JOSEPH L. ANGLIM

Signed [Signature]

SCOUT EXECUTIVE

Council Trailblazers

#121

May 3, 1990

Mr. W. Hartley Pierson  
Scout Executive  
Lincoln Trails Council, No. 121

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: HARRY L. JOHNSON, SR.

Dear Hartley:

Thank you for the detailed information sent concerning the above Scouter. This case has been reviewed with our attorney and is now on our permanent Ineligible Volunteer File.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director  
Registration Service

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cc: East Central Region

MEMO TO FILE  
MAY 3 1990  
ERIN ORILEY

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## BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

National Office  
1325 Walnut Hill Lane  
P.O. Box 152079, Irving, Texas 75015-2079  
214-580-2000

April 4, 1990

Mr. W. Hartley Pierson  
Scout Executive  
Lincoln Trails Council, No. 121

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: HARRY L. JOHNSON, SR.

Dear Hartley:

We appreciate the material you recently sent concerning the above named individual. This is most helpful to us and will enable the refusal of registration at a future date to take place.

I would like to know if there are going to be charges pressed against Mr. Johnson by the parents of the youth member? Please give us information on this, so that we know whether we should continue to pursue this or is the case really closed.

Thanks for your help in completing this file.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director  
Registration Service

jf

cc: East Central Region

*Paul,*

*I am reasonably confident the  
parents are not going to press  
charges. I met. pointed off approach  
just like our usual suggestions  
no special contact took place  
Parents feel good about their son  
conduct and our handling of  
situation*

*W. Hartley Pierson*  
*Scout Executive*

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READY FOR FILE

APR 10 1990

JULIE FIELDER

April 4, 1990

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Scout Executive  
Lincoln Trails Council, No. 121

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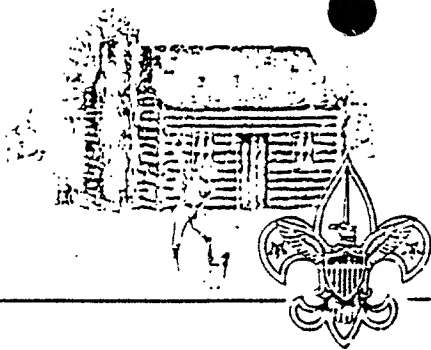
Paul Ernst, Director  
Registration Service

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cc: East Central Region

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# LINCOLN TRAILS COUNCIL BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

217/429-2326

205 S. EDWARD ST. • DECATUR, IL 62522-3116

September 6, 1989

Harry L. Johnson, Sr.

Decatur, IL 62521

Dear Mr. Johnson,

After careful review, we have decided that your registration with the Boy Scouts of America should be suspended. We are therefore compelled to request that you sever any relations you may have with the Boy Scouts of America. A refund of your registration fee is enclosed.

You should understand that BSA membership registration is a privilege and is not automatically granted to everyone who applies. We reserve the right to suspend registration whenever there is a concern that an individual may not measure up to the high standards of membership the BSA seeks to provide for American youth.

If you wish to have this decision reviewed, please write to me within 60 days of the date of this letter, explaining your version of the facts supporting your claim that your registration as a BSA member should be granted or reinstated. The procedures for review are attached.

Sincerely yours,

John Stubblefield  
President

*Added to IV file  
deleted from reg file  
3/12/90  
cm*



SERVING THE COUNTIES OF:

MACON, COLES, EFFINGHAM, SHELBY, MONTGOMERY, CUMBERLAND, FAYETTE, JASPER, AND CLATSOP

CLATSOP

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APPLICANT PROCEDURE FOR REQUESTING REVIEW OF DECISION DENYING  
REGISTRATION

1. If registration is refused, the applicant may request a review of this decision. This request must be in the form of a written request from the individual which includes his or her version of the facts supporting the claim that registration should not have been denied.
2. Upon receipt of the written request for review, the president of the local council shall appoint a committee to review the situation.
3. The appointed committee should review the facts as presented, and in addition, may interview any persons whose testimony might assist the committee in discovering the truth and arriving at a correct decision.
4. A confidential report will be given to the applicant setting forth the decision of the committee.
5. The applicant may-if he or she does not agree with the decision-request a review from the regional director by submitting a written request for such a review within 30 days of the receipt of the local council decision.
6. If the regional review does not satisfy the applicant, he or she may ask for further review by the National Council by submitting a written request for such a review within 30 days of the receipt of the regional decision. The decision by the National Council is final.

STATEMENT

Scout [REDACTED] age 13, was staying at Harry L. Johnson's home for a few days during a week in late August 1989. On Thursday, August 24, 1989 following a troop meeting, [REDACTED] and Mr. Johnson camped out in Johnson's back yard in a tent together. During the night, Johnson started "playing around with him" fondling his sexual organs. [REDACTED] told him to stop. Johnson said he was sorry and would not do it again. Later after [REDACTED] had fallen asleep, he was awoken by Johnson who was fondling him again. [REDACTED] said he would go into the house and call his parents. At that, Johnson said he would go into the house and leave him alone.

This statement is true and correct.

[REDACTED]

(Parent)

[REDACTED]

(Scout)

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MEMBERSHIP SUPPORT SYSTEM

MEMBER DELETE

03/12/90  
11:15:01

CNCL 121 PRG/UNIT 50005 SEQ. 009750

FIRST: HARRY L LAST: JOHNSON SR

IL

ADDR1: [REDACTED] ADDR2: DECATUR

ZIP: 62521

ADDR3:

ADDR4:

REG STATUS: D ENROLL: 1187 BIRTH: 0135 SEX: M AGENCY: M ADULT/YOUTH: 6

POSITION: MC FINDERCODE: 50 PHONE: [REDACTED] BULK: MAG-STATUS:

REN DAT: 1089

TRANSFER FROM = CNCL: PGM/UNIT: SEQ: TRANSFER DATE:

MAGAZINES

TYPE	CNCL	P/UNT	CODE	TRM	DATE	FIRST	LAST	ORIG	TOTAL	COUNT	PRINTED	DOT	EXP
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S			N	06	0189	0189	1189	00	000	00	3009	1189	

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